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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Joe Morici'.

Joe Morici  
Senior Vice President

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## IT'S RAINING BUBBLES!

The world has come under attack and it is up to you as a Super Buster Brother to ensure that the world is cleared of all bouncing bubbles. But be careful! If a bubble touches you, you're history!

Whether you play in the Panic Mode or the Tour Mode, the challenges will keep you on your toes! In the Panic Mode, bubbles rain down for 99 levels of excitement. In the Tour Mode, you will travel the world in search of new and challenging bubble battles within different structural constraints. So load up your harpoon gun and get started!



# GETTING STARTED

1. Insert your Super Buster Brothers Game Pak into your Super Nintendo Entertainment System and turn the power on.
2. When the title screen appears, move the cursor next to either Game Start or Options and press the START Button. (For an explanation of the Options Mode, see Using the Options Mode on page 6 of this manual.)
3. At any time, you can press the RESET button on the console to start the game over from the beginning.
4. To end the game at any time, simply turn off the power on your Super Nintendo Entertainment System.





## THE OPTION SCREEN

The Option Screen allows you to sample the different types of music and sound effects that are available in Super Buster Bros. You can get to the Options Screen from the Title Screen before you begin play.

At the Title Screen, you'll see two options, GAME START and OPTIONS. Press down on the control pad to move the cursor to OPTIONS and press the START Button. The Options Screen will appear.

**To Change The Music:** Move the cursor down to the line marked B.G.M., which stands for BackGround Music. Press LEFT or RIGHT on the Control Pad to cycle through the settings. Press button A, B, X, or Y to hear the music sample.

**To Change The Sound Effects:** Move the cursor down to the line marked S.E., which stands for Sound Effects. Press LEFT or RIGHT on the Control Pad to cycle through the settings. Press button A, B, X, or Y to hear the sound effect sample.

**To Change To Stereo Or Mono Sound:** Move the cursor down to the line marked Sound Mode. Press LEFT or RIGHT on the Control Pad to toggle between Stereo and Mono.

When finished with the Options Screen hit Exit to Return to the Title Screen.



# MOVES AND WEAPONS

## To Do This:

Run to the Left or the Right

Climb Up or Down a Ladder

Jump off a Ladder

Shoot Your Weapon

Pause & Unpause the Game

## Press This:

Control Pad Left or Right

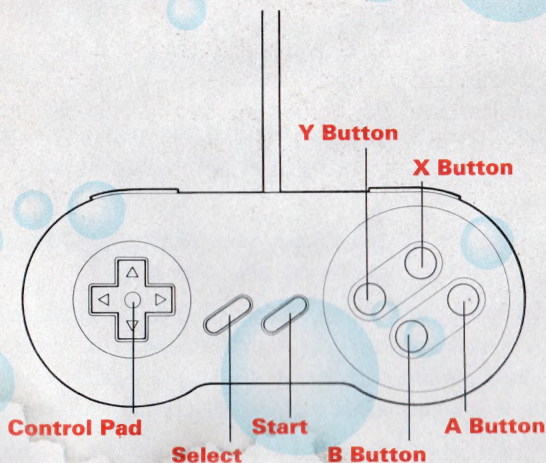
Control Pad Up or Down

Control Pad Left or Right

Press the A, B, X, or Y Button

Press the Start Button

The L, R, and Select Buttons have no use in this Game.





# THE TOUR MODE



In this mode, you must pop all the bubbles before the clock runs out. When you shoot some of the bubbles or highlighted platforms, they will drop a helpful item. In this mode, creatures may also appear to help you clear each stage.

Some of the helpful items that you will be able to use are:

## Weapons:

**Single Harpoon Gun:** You will start out with this weapon. The gun will only be able to shoot one harpoon at a time.

To get the following weapons and tools, you must pick up these items as they appear. A new weapon will replace the old one.

**Double Harpoon Gun:** Doubles your ability to shoot bubbles with two harpoons at any one time.

**Grappling Hook:** Allows you to hook your harpoon to the ceiling or the bottom of any platform. This is only a single shot weapon. The hook will disappear only after it glows or a bubble hits it. It works very well for low bouncing bubbles.

**Machine Gun:** Shoots rapid-fire bullets but can not destroy platforms. This weapon can clear the screen faster than any other weapon.



## THE TOUR MODE, cont.

### Tools:

**Shield:** Protects you from getting hit by a bubble. It's only good for one hit.

**Hour Glass:** Slows the bubbles down for a short period of time.

**Clock:** Freezes the bubbles for a certain amount of time. You may touch the bubbles without being destroyed during this period.

**Dynamite:** Pops all bubbles to their smallest size.

**Shoes:** These special shoes will keep you from sliding on the ice as you battle bubbles in colder stages.

**Food:** Collect these for extra points. 10 Food items will also give you an extra Continue.

### Friends:

**Flying Fish:** They will pop bubbles that are next to them.

**Dragons:** They will eat small bubbles.

**Glowing Buster Brother:** A Free Man

**The CAPCOM Running Horse:** A surprise.



## THE PANIC MODE

Your goal in this mode is to finish 99 levels of non-stop popping action! As you destroy the bubbles, a "Pop Meter" at the bottom of the screen will track your progress. When you fill up the "Pop Meter," you will move to the next level. But be careful! As you advance to higher levels, the bubbles will get larger and faster!

Some of the helpful items that you will be able to use are:

**Glowing Bubbles:** Freeze the bubbles for a few seconds.

**Green Clock:** Freezes the bubbles for a certain amount of time.

**Orange Star:** Pops all of the bubbles on the screen.





## HELPFUL HINTS

- Keep in mind that in the Tour Mode, exploding dragons can destroy bubbles.
- When you shoot at a certain area of the screen, a helpful item may appear.
- In the Panic Mode, it is safer to play near the walls rather than in the center of the screen.
- In both modes, freeze the bubbles close to the ground for quick destruction.
- Remember, when you pop a large bubble it will multiply into two smaller ones. Try to avoid popping too many large bubbles at once.
- In the Panic Mode, pressing down on the Control Pad will give you 50 points plus advance a bubble into the screen.



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